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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Date: November 25, 2003 This is a request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled: COMPOSITE STRUCTURES, SUCH AS COATED WIRING ASSEMBLIES, HAVING INTEGRAL FIBER OPTIC-BASED CONDITION DETECTORS AND SYSTEMS AND METHODS WHICH EMPLOY THE SAME without a filing fee and/or without an executed inventor's oath/declaration. This application is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers: Newly executed Declaration,

Copy of Declaration from prior application,

Abstract pages of specification and claims (including 43 numbered claims), and 32 12 sheets of accompanying drawing/s. Attached is a Power of Attorney. Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on the following foreign applications: **Application Number** Country Day/Month/Year Filed , respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.. Certified copy(ies) of foreign application(s) is/are attached. Certified copy(ies) filed on in prior application no. This application claims the benefit of Provisional Application No. 60/428,908, filed November 26, 2002, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application. \boxtimes Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ "Small entity" statement attached. Also attached: Information Disclosure Statement; Information Request. Inventor: Fritz FRIEDERSDORF 1. U.S.A. (first) MI (last) (citizenship) Residence: (city) Charlottesville (state/country) Virginia Mailing Address: c/o Luna Innovations, 705-A Dale Avenue, Charlottesville, Virginia (Zip Code) 22903 2. Inventor: **Thomas** A. WAVERING U.S.A. (first) MI (last) (citizenship) Residence: (city) Charlottesville (state/country) Virginia Mailing Address: c/o Luna Innovations, 705-A Dale Avenue, Charlottesville, Virginia (Zip Code) 22903 \square See attached sheet(s) for additional inventor(s) information!! Addr ss all future communications to NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C., 1100 North Glebe Road, 8th Floor, Arlington, VA 22201. Correspondence Address: **NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.** By Atty: Bryan H. Davidson, Reg. No. 30,251

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Sir:

NON-PUBLICATION REQUEST

It is respectfully requested that this application **NOT** be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the subject application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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